

## No. 9

## It Couldn't Please Me More

cue: SCHULTZ: Then open it.

[Dialogue] ... so luxurious ---

Moderately *W.W.* 3 3 FRAULEIN SCHNEIDER: 3 Strict tempo

(Fraulein Schneider opens bag)

Str. L.H. 8va Vlns. W.W.

Celesta L.H. 6 R.H. 6

Piano

If you bought me dia - monds, -

+ Trb. Wa (Trb.) Cello

If you bought me pearls, \_\_\_\_\_ If you bought me ros - es like some

Wa

oth - er gents might bring to oth - er girls, \_\_\_\_\_ It could-n't please me

Trb.

[11]

more ————— Than the gift I see: ————— A

Trb. Cello

HERR SCHULTZ:

pine - ap - ple ————— for me. If in your e -

Vlns., Gtr. Gliss. + Str. Cls., Trb. Vla.

[19]

mo - tion ————— You be-gan to sway, ————— Went to get some

Gtr., Vlns. Cello

air Or grabbed a chair To keep from faint-ing dead a - way, —————

Vlns. (Vla. continue melody) Fl., Gtr.

27

It could-n't please me more Than to see you

+ Cls. Vins.

Cls., Cello

cling To the pine - ap - ple I

Vins. unis. Str. div. W.W. Gtr. Hn.

35 BOTH:

FRAU. S.:

bring. Ah I can hear ha -

Tpts, W.W. 3 Str., W.W. Vins. mf p

BOTH:

HERR S.:

wai - ian breez - es blow. Ah It's from Cal - i -

3 3 Str., W.W. Cls. low Str. mf

FRAU. S.:

[43]

for - nia. E - ven so, How am I to thank you? \_\_\_\_\_

Str. *8va* --- *W.W.* *W.W.*

*p* + Str. Cello Wa (Trb.)

HERR S.:

FRAU. S.:

Kind-ly let it pass, \_\_\_\_\_ Would you like a

Wa

HERR S.:

slice? That might be nice, But frank - ly, it would give me gas. \_\_\_\_\_

Trb.

FRAU. S.:

[51]

Then we shall leave it here \_\_\_\_\_ Not to eat, but

Str., W.W. Str. + W.W.

BOTH: FRAU. S.:

see; A pine - ap-ple For

+ Acc. + Gtr. Str. Gtr., Str.

HERR S.: BOTH: [59]

me. From me. Ah

3 rit.

[They dance]

Ah

3 Muted Brass mf

Dialogue (while dancing) : FRAU. S.: But you must not bring me ... etc.

[64] w.w. Str. pp

Gtr.

HERR SCHULTZ: I would fill your entire room with pineapples.

Vla.

BOTH: 76 HERR S.: FRAU. S.:

A pine - ap - ple for you, From

Gtr. Solo *ad lib.* 3 w.w. Gtr., Str.

BOTH:

you. Ah Ah

*rit.*

FRAU. S.: I think I will  
lie down...etc.

...I am overwhelmed!

Very slowly

*slow gliss.*

Gtr. Solo + Str.

Bells